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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **EXAMINING GROUP 1713** 

> PATENT 1155-0221P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Yoshihisa INOUE et al. Conf.:

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Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Office Action of February 17, 2004, the following remarks are submitted in connection with the aboveidentified application.

This response includes Remarks and a Declaration under 37 CFR §1.132 by Dr. Shigekazu Matsui.